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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents, together with an English abstract and/or translation thereof, are enclosed.

The listed documents include an Office Action dated May 22, 2007, issued by the Japanese Patent Office in corresponding Japanese patent application no. 2003-024418, and the documents cited therein. The Japanese documents are submitted to be relevant for the reasons noted in their respective abstracts and/or translations.

FORMAL MATTERS

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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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